

M'ADOO TO KEEP LID ON WITH AXE

Commissioner Said to Be Planning Wholesale Simultaneous Raids on Pool-Rooms in All Parts of the City.

JEROME'S SMASHING METHODS TO BE USED.

Admitted that Pool-Rooms Are Running and Also that System of Posting Men in Front of Them Has Failed.

There is every indication to-day that Police Commissioner McAdoo is planning a general raid on pool-rooms all over the city. These raids are to be made simultaneously, the lower part of the city, the Tenderloin and Harlem to receive attention at the same time.

No gentle methods are to be pursued. It is said that the axe and the crowbar are to be used where admission is refused, and that there will be a regular Jerome of a time all over the city when the Commissioner gives the signal to begin.

That pool-rooms are running all over the city there is now no doubt. The various heads of the inspection districts have admitted this much to Mr. McAdoo, but have declared that their power to deal with the situation is limited to placing men in front of the known rooms to warn patrons away.

This method is effective for a time, but is no longer so. Men who are warned by policemen now, grin, say "Thank you," and then pass in and make their bets.

More Drastic Measures. Commissioner McAdoo, it is said, is satisfied of the entire ineffectiveness of this system of dealing with the pool-room evil. He has about made up his mind that more drastic methods are after all the only way to deal with the situation. To-day the evidence is being collected all over the city, and when the general raid is made it will be only on places which are absolutely known to be pool-rooms.

It is reported that the pool-rooms will make an effort to deal with the situation. A sort of field day with them, and with the raiding force, will be the result. To take a chance is stronger than ever.

Inspector Titus said to-day that while pool-rooms were running in his inspection district, no new ones had opened, and none would open without his knowing it. With the police magistrates taking the view of the situation that they do, he says there is no use doing more than warning men who enter pool-rooms of the character of the place.

Walsh sitting on the lid.

Inspector Walsh said to-day that in the Tenderloin he was keeping the lid down as tightly as he could.

"I have told every captain in my district that the lid must be kept down as tight as possible. There must be no let up. Of course, we know that some rooms are running, but in front of every one of them we have men, and that is as much as we can do."

Both Inspector Walsh and Inspector Titus declared that they are planning for a general raid. Nevertheless there is no doubt that Commissioner McAdoo has some such move in contemplation.

According to reports about Police Headquarters, Capt. Harry W. Ely is being considered for the position of Third Deputy Police Commissioner to succeed John P. Cowan, who has resigned.

Mr. McAdoo is said to have been investigating Capt. Ely's record for some days, and it is generally believed that he will get the appointment. Capt. Ely is forty-nine years old and was born in Brooklyn. He was a newspaper man for many years in this city and is familiar with police matters.

At the outbreak of the Spanish-American war he enlisted as a private in the Fourth New Jersey Volunteers. He went to the Philippines, where he was lieutenant in the Forty-sixth U. S. Volunteers and was mustered out as a captain.

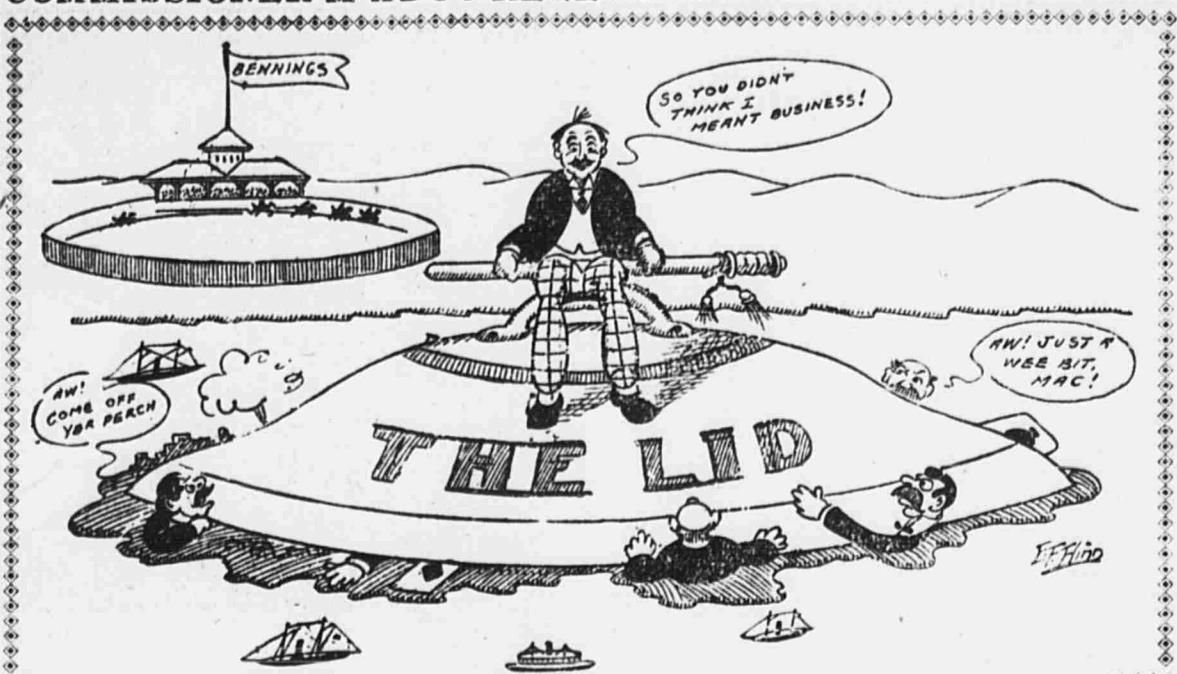
He is highly recommended by Gen. Merritt, under whom he served in the Philippines. In the latter part of his service there he acted as provincial magistrate and his work was such that the army authorities were reluctant to release him. On his return to this city he entered the employ of a banking and brokerage concern downtown. He lives at No. 155 West One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

The appointment of the new Third Deputy will be announced April 1.

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STOCKS UP, BUT TRADERS HESITATE

Wall Street Fears Result of Disagreement Between Harriman and Morgan, and Buyers Hold Off to Watch Tussle.

Prices advanced sharply at the opening of the Stock Exchange to-day, although the market was duller than for some time, and there was an air of hesitancy which was due to the fact that while for publication the Northern Securities interests talk of peace, yet privately and among their friends the talk is for a receiver and a court decision.

Messrs. Harriman, Stillman and the Kuhn, Loeb contingent have never been on good terms with Messrs. Hill, Morgan, et al. Now that there is a chance for a disagreement Wall street regards it as certain that it will not be long and that the present disagreement will result in more bitterness.

The Northern Pacific corner created itself. So now there is a feeling in many quarters that a Northern Securities corner may result in the same way; also, that there may be an upheaval in Southern and Union Pacific stocks which may not be for the peace of mind of the financial district.

This feeling was responsible for the hesitancy in the trading to-day which marked the opening. London sent over higher prices.

The initial figures showed gains of from 1-8 to 5-8. Atchison advanced 3-8, Copper 1-4, Baltimore & Ohio 1-4, Brooklyn Rapid Transit 1-4, St. Paul 1-8, Louisville 1-4, Reading 3-8, Union Pacific 1-4 and Southern Pacific 1-4. The Erie was heavy and the second preferred, with Missouri Pacific and Washash and Texas and Pacific Gould issues showed losses.

As the session advanced toward the close, trading was dull and prices generally higher and Washash preferred the feature.

The market fluctuated frequently in the late dealings. Union Pacific rising to 52 3-8 and then relapsing to below 52. Many of the leaders set below yesterday's closing. Prices hardened after the movement was sluggish and narrow.

Attention was diverted from trading by the first on Broadway, the Stock Exchange neighborhood being filled with smoke. Wells-Fargo lost 2, Westinghouse Electric 1 and Wheeling & Lake Erie second preferred rose 2.

Stocks closed generally fractionally higher, with trading limited to 800 shares for the day. Washash preferred was the strongest issue of the list, it closing up to 57 1-8. The local transactions were a shade higher.

The total sales of stocks were \$8,200 shares, and of bonds \$600,000.

BANK LOANS CROSS THE BILLION MARK

New High Record Made, While Deposits Are Also Up, and All the Other Clearing House Figures Are Favorable.

Bank loans made a new high record to-day, going above the billion-dollar mark for the first time. The exact figures being \$1,007,863,700. Deposits also were over that limit, being at \$1,048,603,000, while the entire statement was favorable. The increase in loans was due to the expansion in business on the Stock Exchange.

The week's clearing-house figures as issued to-day were:

Loans, increase.....	\$9,044,000
Deposits, increase.....	11,053,000
Circulation, increase.....	25,200
Legal tenders, increase.....	2,854,500
Reserve, increase.....	2,775,000
Reserve required, increase.....	2,014,500
Surplus, increase.....	13,800
U. S. States deposits, increase.....	1,328,100

SULLY DECLARES HE WAS RUNNED BY TREACHERY

Bankrupt Monarch of the Cotton Pit Says that Frank H. Ray and Edwin Hawley, Associates in Last Pool, Played Him False.

Daniel J. Sully, bankrupt monarch of the cotton pit, declares that Frank H. Ray and Edwin Hawley, his former associates, are the only ones interested with him in the last pool—the pool that ruined Sully. Mr. Sully will to-day tell the inside of the poolings of cotton, and make public every turn of the Sully firm since it began to rule the market. He also promises to rule the market for the alleged treachery they displayed.

The first steps to make public these exposures were taken when Sully appeared before the Hon. Charles H. Miller, and told them the dramatic way in which he was brought to ruin. This same story will be told to the creditors to-day.

"I owe it to my creditors," said Mr. Sully. "They have suffered by the conduct of my former associates, and I will tell how they abandoned me, and make a complete revelation of everything."

There will be a meeting of the creditors to-day, when the whole story will be told.

"Now that my affairs have been placed in the hands of a receiver," said Mr. Sully, "it is no longer a question of trying to guard what information I have about my business, but to guard my creditors' interests. With the assistance of these same creditors I hope to begin business anew, and I believe I will get this assistance when they are fully aware of the exact conditions that brought about my failure and the exact condition of my finances."

Men in the Pool. "A great many men have been mentioned as being interested with me in the last cotton pool, but Hawley and Ray were the only men to whom I looked for financial backing," he continued. "These men understood that I was to manage the market operations with my own funds and then to call upon them in case more funds were needed."

"I found on Thursday a week ago that from \$300,000 to \$1,000,000 were needed to make deliveries the next day so that margins would be all right. I arranged with Mr. Hawley and Mr. Ray, who were the only men to whom I looked for financial backing, that they would get firm the next day after I had made up my margins."

"I also told them that in some way the shorts had got wind of my position, but I believed that if the money were put up the extensive short interest would turn the market of its own accord."

"Mr. Hawley and Mr. Ray then told me that they would 'sleep over' my proposition. I had no idea that treachery was planned, and the next morning I stopped at Mr. Hawley's house and drove him down town in my carriage. On the way down we picked up Mr. Ray."

"It was plain to me, on the way down town, that sleeping over the proposition had not worked to my advantage. Ray then told me that it was no use for the three of us to be sacrificed. 'If any one is to be sacrificed,' he told me, 'you are the one that can best sacrifice himself.'"

Secret of the Plot. "It was then that Mr. Hawley and Ray made the proposition to me that I take over their holdings of cotton at the previous night's price, on condition that they would negotiate a loan of \$600,000 for me. I had not long to consider it, as they were waiting for \$600,000 of bonds of cotton involved, and in taking it over I consented to pay the difference between the purchase price and the price agreed upon. It was a dreadful predicament, but I knew if I did not take the cotton they would dump it on the market. Arriving at my office I made arrangements to have my stocks and securities taken over to Mr. Hawley's office, so that I could negotiate my part of the loan."

"On the exchange floor I felt that every one was watching me. I saw cotton dumped upon the market in large lots, and it did not take me long to realize where it was coming from. I then went to my office and called up Mr. Hawley. He told me that Mr. Ray was up town and had not been to see him. I called him up several times, but he did not come. I then went to the exchange and found that the market was still dumping cotton. I saw that the market was being run by the two men, and I decided to leave the market to them."

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FOUGHT POSSE IN BURNING WOODS

Insane Son of Gen. Sigel, After Trying to Kill Old Woman, Started a Blaze to Escape His Pursuers.

EGG HARBOR CITY, N. J., March 25.—Believed to be the murderer of one of his children and having done his best to slash an old woman to death, Rudolph Sigel, son of the famous Union soldier, Gen. Franz Sigel, is imprisoned here, while companies of citizens are out fighting a fire which the insane man set in the woods surrounding this place in an effort to cut off pursuers and prevent his capture. Search parties are also out trying to find the missing child or her body.

Sigel had been acting strangely for some time past, but not until his murderous attack on Mrs. Uriah had he displayed a disposition toward violence. Mrs. Uriah, who is a very old woman, and her husband, Henry, live on a little farm adjoining the place on which Sigel resided several years ago, where he had made a living by raising berries and garden truck. The families had always been friendly, although Mrs. Uriah and Sigel saw more of each other than did the two men.

Old Uriah is practically a recluse, and seldom appears in public. In fact, both men have always been considered eccentric by the people here. Sigel perhaps largely on account of his having once been an inmate of the Atlantic City County Hospital for the Insane.

Slashed Old Woman. A week ago Sigel began to act irrationally, but Mrs. Uriah, knowing him as well as she did, was not afraid, and when he called at her place yesterday morning and found her alone she had no suspicion of the violence he intended to commit. Suddenly the man drew a large knife which he had hidden in one of his sleeves and began slashing the defenseless old woman. Repeatedly he drove the long blade into her neck and side.

Screaming for help, Mrs. Uriah finally got out of the range of the wild man's knife and ran from the house. Sigel followed her, but seeing neighbors surrounding him he made a dash for it, and ran across the fields which led to the woods.

His Child Is Missing. A party of policemen went in pursuit of the fugitive, but they had hardly found his trail when dense clouds of smoke began rolling up from the pursuers. They ran around the edge of the woods and flanked Sigel's hiding place. When they found him he defied any one to touch him and brandished his knife threateningly. A concerted rush was made on him, and he was overpowered after a hard fight.

It was not until after the discovery was made that one of Sigel's children was missing, and a thorough search failing to reveal any trace of her, theory is growing that the insane man took the little one into the woods, killed her, and that the body will be found buried there, if the fire does not destroy it.

Defining a Monopoly. (From the Boston Transcript.) Mrs. Manning—"I don't think I know exactly what is meant by a corner. Mr. Manning—"It's a sort of monopoly. Let me explain it to you. The children are the only ones allowed on the place."

The Cheerful Idiot. (From the Chicago News.) "The wailing of the wind," said the sentimental maid in relating the incident at the dinner table, "actually moved me to tears."

"That was indeed a sad blow," remarked the cheerful idiot, who never missed an opportunity to butt in.

WHEAT MARKET. Cold weather in the Northwest and very low temperature through the winter wheat States caused the market to advance sharply to-day. Hard freezes have occurred through the Southeast and grave fears are entertained for the crop as the cold snap has followed almost summer weather.

New York's opening prices were: Wheat, 98 3-4 bid; September, 98 1-8; October, 98 1-8; November, 98 1-8; December, 98 1-8.

The closing prices were: March, 14.96 to 15.03; April, 15.00 to 15.04; May, 15.18 to 15.25; June, 15.32 to 15.38; July, 15.57 to 15.63; August, 15.72 to 15.78; September, 15.90 to 15.96; October, 16.02 to 16.08; November, 16.18 to 16.24; December, 16.32 to 16.38.

The market ruled generally firm closing only a few points down from the high of the day. The final tone was steady with a net advance of 31 and 48 points. Sales were estimated at \$30,000.

WEATHER SPOILS FISHING. Trout Anglers Disappointed on the First Day of the Season. (Special to The Evening World.) EASTPORT, L. I., March 25.—Fog and a strong southerly wind were the initial conditions which attended the opening of the trout season on Long Island this morning. Hundreds of Manhattan anglers are now at the clubs anxiously awaiting a change of weather which will enable them to indulge in fishing.

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Famous Actor Declares Before Sailing on Mesaba There Has Been Much Artistic Development in America.

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Sir Henry and most of the company went on board during the early morning hours. Sir Henry was up a short time before the vessel sailed. He said nothing regarding the treatment he had received here at the hands of the critics, but he admitted that while his vessel was not an aquatic failure, it did not take with the American public, and for that reason it was taken off.

Removed to Presbyterian Hospital and May Die. Mrs. Nellie Quirk, who lived with Mrs. Leary at No. 342 East Seventy-sixth street, attempted suicide to-day by swallowing Paris green. Mrs. Leary saw the woman throw the box away just after taking the poison, and she rushed out of the house to summon aid.

Policeman McAliese, of the East Sixty-seventh street station, was in the neighborhood and he put in a call for the ambulance of the Presbyterian Hospital, where Mrs. Quirk was taken. She may die.

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